PATENT IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Jan Andrianus VERSCHOOR, et al

For: COMPOSITION COMPRISING A CARRIER AND A PURIFIED MYCOBACTERIAL

LIPID CELL-WALL COMPONENT AND ITS USE IN THE PREVENTION,

TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF DISEASE

Attorney Docket No.: U-013022-9

Commissioner Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to an examination of this application on the merits, please amend the above application as follows:

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